ORDINANCE NO. ________--2010 A BILL

AMENDING THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES CHAPTER 1, PART 5 BY ADDING ADDITIONAL MEMBERS TO THE CITY OF READING DIVERSITY BOARD.

Whereas: The City of Reading City Council created a City of Reading Diversity Board to foster a citywide commitment to diversity that extends from the Mayor and City Council throughout city government.

Whereas: The City of Reading City Council desires to expand the membership of the City of Reading Diversity Board.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: Amending the City of Reading Codified Ordinances Chapter 1, Part 5 by adding additional members to the City of Reading Diversity Board as follows:

§ 1-599.53. MEMBERSHIP. The Diversity Board shall be composed of nine (9) thirteen (13) voting members, chosen to serve three year staggered terms and appointed by the City Council. The Diversity Board shall include: one (1) representative of Council, one (1) representative of the City management team, one (1) representative from the Human Resources Department, the Chief of Police or his/her designee, the Fire Chief or his/her designee, the Public Works Director or his/her designee, one (1) member representing each of the AFSCME, Police and Fire work force groups, one (1) representative of the NAACP, one (1) representative of the PSLC, one (1) representative of the City management team, one (1) representative from the Human Resources Department, and four (4) two (2) members reflecting the geographic, demographic, technical, and non-technical backgrounds of the citizens of Reading.

A Diversity Board member may be removed by City Council for misconduct or neglect of duty. Diversity Board members having three or more unexcused absences in a calendar year may be replaced by City Council. Notification of potential dismissal from the Advisory Council will be mailed by the Chair to the board member following a second absence within a calendar year.

I, LINDA A, KELLEHER, City Clark of the City of Reading, Pa, do hereby certify, that the formagoing is a true and correct copy of the microsista and seal of the said city this. A. D. 20 (D. ... Witness my hand and seal of the said city this. A. D. 20 (D. ...

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance will become effective in ten

(10) days, in accordance with Charter Section 219.

Enacted

President of Counci

Attest:

Submitted to Mayor:
Date: 39.10

Received by the Mayor's Office:
Date: 710

Approved by Mayor:
Date: 710

Vetoed by Mayor:
Date: Da